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Funeral services will be held Monday 11:30 a.m. at the Edgemont 9th Ward chapel, 4300 Canyon Road where friends may call one hour prior to services. Burial: Heber City Cemetery. Olpin Mortuary - Heber City. Funeral Directors: T 12/29N3 12/29



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He was a member of the LDS Church. He was active in 4H and Future Farmers of America activities during his school years. He won the state 4H livestock trip to Chicago. He graduated from Utah State Agriculture College at Logan. He obtained his masters degree in animal husbandry from Texas A&M. He was county agriculture agent for Garfield County and for Monterey and Contra Costa Counties in California. He retired from the University of California Extension Services after 32 years of service. He accepted a job as livestock advisor for the Shah of Iran. He held the job for two years.

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Livestock Marketing Featured On Radio

18 Nov 1955

SALT LAKE CITY — Livestock marketing and feeding problems are featured in a series of three special November programs on "This Business of Farming." The series is in line with the desire of the Utah Copper Division of Kennecott Copper Corp., program sponsor, to help Utah stockmen with the perplexing marketing problems confronting them.

Marketing and merchandising angles of hog raising will be treated Monday, November 21, while Thursday, November 24, farm director Von Orme will present a discussion on feeding for quick cattle and sheep gains. Don E. Kenny reports the month's livestock situation on Monday, November 28. The program is heard weekdays at 12:15 p.m. on KSL Radio.

Cattle Head for Summer Range On Nat. Forests

15 June 1967

Regional Forester Floyd Iver-
son announced that cattle and
sheep permitted to graze the
National Forests of the Inter-
mountain Region are now en-
tering their grazing allotments.
The annual trek to these moun-
tain pastures will be complete
soon after July 1, the Regional
Forester said.

GRAZING OF THE Department
of Agriculture's National
Forests is an important part of
multiple use management in the
Intermountain states: Utah, Ne-
vada, western Wyoming, south-
ern Idaho, and portions of Cali-
fornia and Colorado.

About 313,000 cattle and 1,-
060,000 sheep owned by 4,935
ranchers and stockmen will ob-
tain a substantial part of their
annual forage requirement from
the eighteen National Forests
in the Region.

MOST OF THE CATTLE are
driven to grazing allotments by
the home ranches where they
spend the winter months, but
many are trucked onto their
grazing areas where trailering is
not convenient. Each year more
cattle are trucked to and from
their summer pastures. Sheep
are trailed or hauled by truck
from the spring ranges to Na-
tional Forest allotments.

Most of the cattle and sheep
are counted by Forest Rangers
as they enter the National For-
ests. Over half the cattle are
tagged with metal tags or dye
branded with a hair coloring
solution so that the grazing ani-
mals can be readily identified
as those permitted to graze on
specific areas.

MORE THAN 2,234 individ-
ual grazing allotment areas have
been designated for cattle and
sheep grazing in the Region.
Management of the livestock on
each allotment is planned by the
Forest Ranger responsible in
cooperation with the grazing
permittee.

The grazing use of National
Forest rangelands is of major
economic importance to the
livestock industry, especially in
rural areas where livestock
raising provides a large part of
local income.

TO GRAZE RANGES prop-
erly, construction of watering
developments and fences is of-
ten necessary to aid in obtaining
proper distribution of livestock.
Range improvements construct-
ed during the past year include
239 miles of fence and 210
range watering facilities such as
reservoirs and troughs. More
than 44,100 acres of depleted
rangeland were revegetated by
seeding with high quality range
grasses, or by spraying to con-
trol undesirable plants, such as
sagebrush which crowd out bet-
ter forage plants.

In F. Y. 1967 approximately
\$514,000 will be spent on main-
tenance and construction of
physical range improvements
such as fences, water develop-
ments, etc. About \$611,000 will
be spent for seeding and con-
trol of undesirable plants to in-
crease forage production. Ex-
penditures for range improve-
ments projects in F. Y. 1968 are
expected to be about the same
as in 1967.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Van Wag-
oner and family are in Salt Lake
often to be with their son,
Michael who is at the LDS Hos-
pital for medical care.

Harry McMillan is at home
and able to be about after gall
surgery at the Heber Hospital.

Junior Hereford Field Day Set Next Wednesday

10 Aug 1967

The Utah Junior Hereford Association will hold their annual field day, Wednesday, August 16, at Jensen Brothers Hereford Ranch located near Logan. A large turnout is expected for this popular event to be held on one of the good registered Hereford operations in the Western United States. All adults and juniors who have an interest in good Hereford cattle are cordially invited to attend.

Major field day activities will include a Hereford judging contest, a junior public speaking contest, selection of a Hereford Queen, and educational talks and demonstration by leading Hereford breeders and beef cattle authorities.

The Utah Junior Hereford Association extends a special invitation to all county agents, FFA teachers and their 4-H and FFA members to attend the field day and participate in the judging contest. This will be a good opportunity to learn more about judging beef cattle and will also give boys and girls an opportunity to take home some nice trophies that will be awarded to winning teams and individuals. Adults are also welcome to participate and special prizes will be awarded to winners. A registered Hereford heifer will be given by the Jensen Brothers to the high individual junior judge who is a member of the Utah Junior Hereford Association.

The well planned program should be both educational and entertaining for all those who attend.

Fat Stock Show "Best Ever" Says Auctioneer

10 Aug 1967

"This is the best sale I called all year," was the comment of auctioneer, J. L. Lindsay, on this fourth annual event of the Wasatch County Fair.

The committee in charge felt like the sale was an immense success. Every animal was sold. The prices paid for some of the finest animals ever seen by the committee members well paid the Junior stock raisers for their efforts. Some prices paid were almost double market listed prices.

Any Wasatch County taxpayer is eligible to sell animals at this auction according to the official rules.

Kay Olsen of Charleston entered the Grand Champion beef which was purchased by the Flying Vee. First Security Bank of Utah was the buyer of Seth Winterton's Reserve Champion beef.

Seth Winterton won both Grand Champion and Reserve Champion titles with two of his lambs. The Grand Champion was bought by Wasatch Ready Mix and Ashton's purchased the Reserve Champion.

Roger Ford of Wallsburg entered both the Grand Champion and Reserve Champion pigs. His Grand Champion was purchased by Heber City and Dr. Larry B. Duke bought the Reserve Champion.

Approximately 37 steers, 24 lambs and three pigs were sold at the auction.

National Cattlemen probe industry future

20 July 1986

Just what will today's rapid changes in the beef business mean to cattlemen and the types of cattle they produce? Cattlemen in Utah and the surrounding area will get answers to this question if they attend a National Cattlemen's Assn. seminar July 26 in Salt Lake City.

The one-day information event, called "The New Beef Cattle Industry," is set for Saturday, July 26, at the Marriott Hotel. The seminar is in connection with July 24-26 board and committee meetings being held by the Utah Cattlemen's Assn. and NCA.

The trend to pre-packaged branded fresh beef at retail is expected to lead to tighter specifications on cattle produced by cow-calf operators as well as feeders, and to

continuing changes in the structure of the cattle and beef industries. These changes — and the implications for all types of cattle operations — will be covered by speakers representing the different segments of the beef business.

A panel of industry speakers will include Gary Bales, King Soopers, Denver; Dr. Rod Bowling, Monfort of Colorado, Inc., Greeley; Dallas Horton, feeder, Wellington, Colo.; Ron Baker, commercial producer, Hermiston, Ore., and Gene Wiese, purebred producer, Manning, Ia.

Discussing the changing needs for capital and financing will be Horton and Kathryn Vagneur, CPA, Colorado Springs.



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On the mooove

A herd of cattle made a temporary roadblock across Highway 10A near Hall in southwestern Montana earlier this

week. The bovine bunch was meandering across the road en route to its winter pasture.